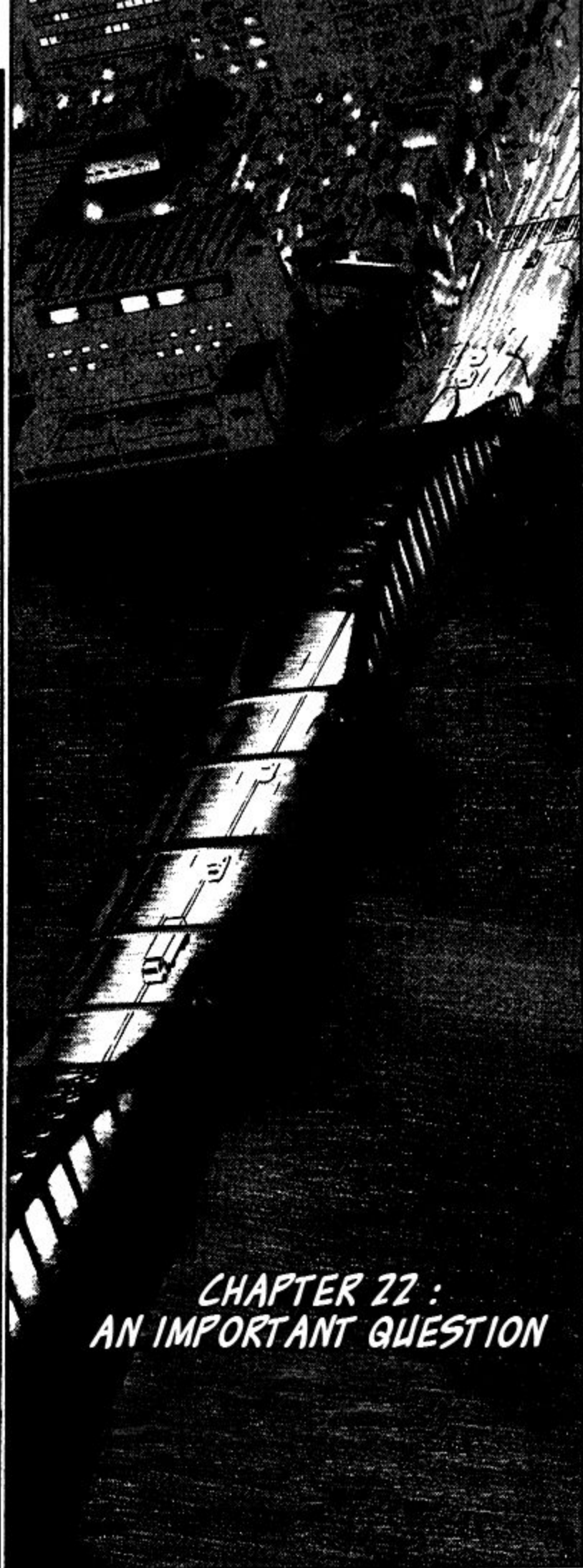


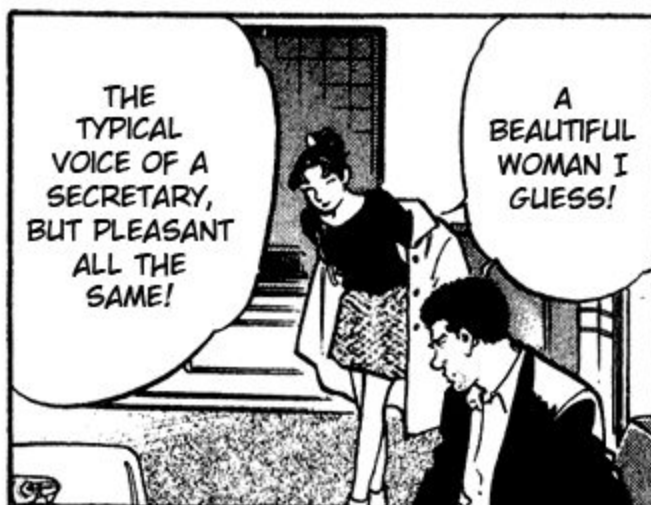


*CHAPTER 22 :
AN IMPORTANT QUESTION*









A
BEAUTIFUL
WOMAN I
GUESS!









YOU WONDER
IF I'LL JUST BE
DEAD WEIGHT
FOR YOU?

YOU'RE
WORRIED
ABOUT ME,
AREN'T
YOU?



NEVERMIND!



YAKUZA
HAVE ALWAYS
ACTED LIKE
THIS...

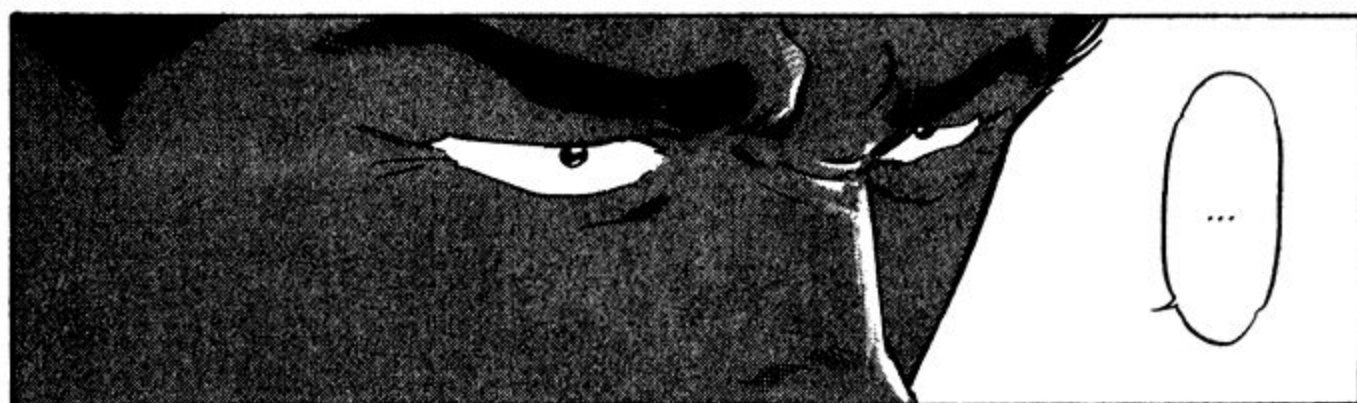
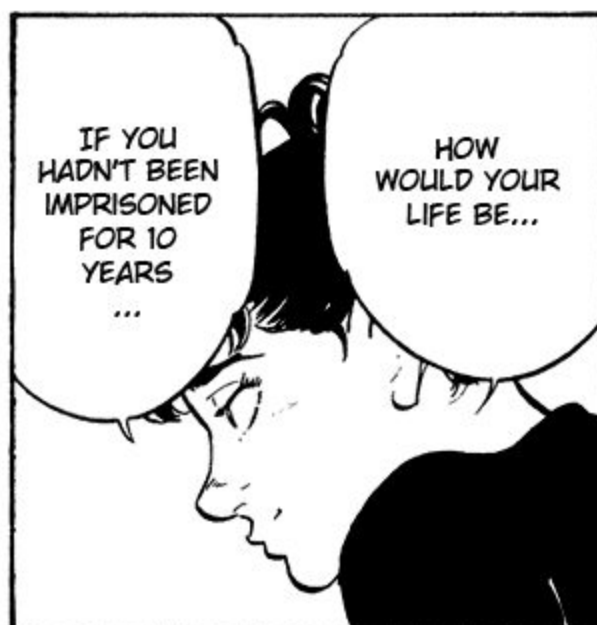


BUT I'VE
GOT THE FEELING
THAT YOUR ENEMY
WILL NEITHER
KIDNAP ME
NOR HURT
ME!

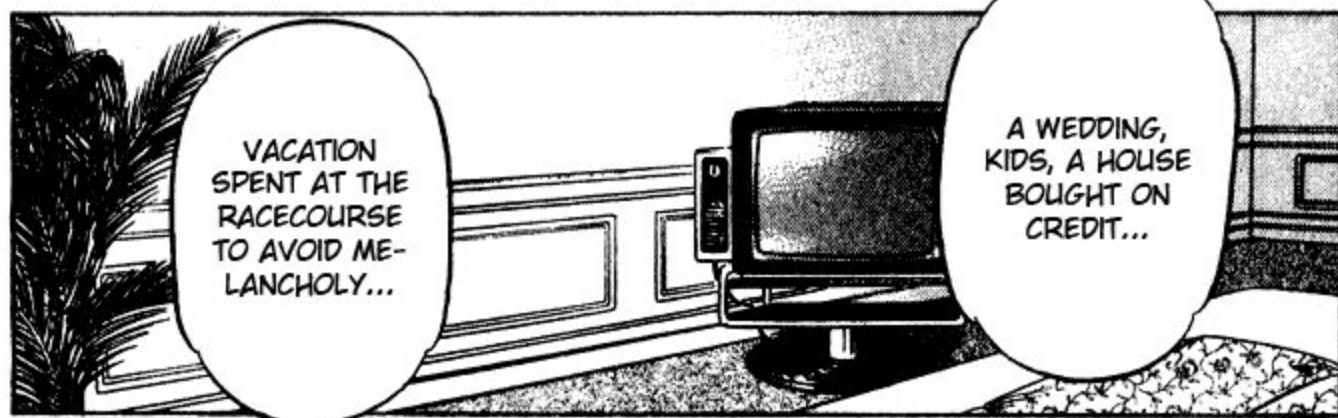
I'M JUST
AN ORDINARY
GIRL AND I'M NOT
REALLY CONVIN-
CED ABOUT WHAT
I'M GONNA
SAY...















I...

I ENJOYED
FREEDOM, FOR
THE BEST AND
THE WORST!





